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FM AMEMBASSY CAPE TOWN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4721

INFO AMCONSUL DURBAN

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AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMCONSUL LUANDA

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SUBJ: BISHOP WOOD RENOUNCES SOUTH AFRICAN CITIZENSHIP

REF: A) CAPE TOWN 682; B) LUSAKA 1143

1. AFTERNOON JUNE 20 PRESS CARRIES REPORT FROM WINDHOEK THAT ANGLICAN BISHOP RICHARD WOOD RENOUNCED SOUTH AFRICAN CITIZENSHIP PREVIOUS EVENING AFTER HAVING HIS SA PASSPORT CONFISCATED BY SECURITY POLICE. WOOD TOLD PRESS THAT HE HAD OBTAINED UK PASSPORT AT BRITISH CONSULATE, CAPE TOWN, EARLIER IN DAY AND WOULD USE IT TO TRAVEL TO ANGOLA. HE SAID HE PLANS TO ASK PERMISSION OF AUTHORITIES THERE TO ESTABLISH MISSION IN CUNENE DISTRICT, OVAMBO-POPULATED AREA ON ANGOLA SIDE OF NAMIBPAN BORDER.

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2. EMBASSY PASSED MESSAGE CONTAINED REFTEL B TO WOOD IN

WINDHOEK VIA CAPE TOWN CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE SOURCE. SOURCE
STATED THAT WOOD APPRECIATED RECEIVING INFORMATION BUT THAT
TRIP TO LUSAKA NO LONGER NECESSARY AS PORTUGUESE CONSULATE
IN WONDHOEK HAS GIVEN HIM VISA TO ENTER ANGOLA.
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